PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, all of the efforts of man to end death and destruction on the streets and highways in the State of South Dakota will not succeed fully until each driver realizes the needless toll of death and injury is an abuse of God's most precious gift; and

WHEREAS, we are nearing another summer vacation driving period, traffic safety is a matter of grave concern to all of us, and the thought that there may be among us some who may be saddened as a result of an unfortunate traffic mishap is a repelling one; and

WHEREAS, South Dakota clergymen of all faiths have joined in an effort to make every motorist aware of his moral responsibilities when driving an automobile:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, NILS A. BOE, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim Saturday and Sunday, May 25th and 26th, 1968, as--

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and urge every South Dakotan to join in this united religious campaign to awaken in the conscience and mind of every driver the realization that negligence at the wheel of an automobile is a transgression of God's Command, Thou Shalt Not Kill. It is further urged that every driver keep this Commandment and practice the Golden Rule by extending courtesy on the highway as the most immediate and practical means of averting untimely death.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this first day of April, in the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Sixty-eight.

Nils A. Boe

NILS A. BOE, GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

Alma Larson

ALMA LARSON, SECRETARY OF STATE

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